PTO/SB/088 (08-00)

Approved for use through 4/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449/PTO						Complete If Known							
						T.PP.II.C.C.II.C.				663,506			
information disclosure										ptember 15, 2003			
Statement by applicant						First Named Inventor			M. Ashraf et al				
(Use as many sheets as necessary)						Group Art Unit							
						Examiner Name -					•		
Sheet	1		of	3		Attor	ney Docket Numb	er	AM-	101106USA			
				L-T	····		TENT DOCUMENT						
Examiner Initials*	C	ite	Document Number Number-Kind Code ^{2(If boom)}		r		olication Date M-DD-YYYY		Applica	Patentee or nt of Cited		es, Columns, Unes, Whe vant Passages or Releva Figures Appear	
	٦ "	ι Γ				• • •			Document				
ILOC	_ A		US-3,929,992		12	12-30-1975		Sehgal et al					
KDC	В		US-3,993,749		11	11-23-1976		Sehgal et al			·		
MC	CC		US-4,401,653		08	08-30-1983		Chee P.Eng					
YOU D			US-4,885,171		12	2-5-19	89	Se	-Sehgal et al		Sui	rendra	
KNC	ノE		US-5,0	078,999	01	-07-1	992	W	arner (et al			
VOU F			US-5,080,899		01	01-14-1992		Sturm et al			·		
KK G			US-5,100,899		03	03-31-1992		Sir R. Calne					
VI)C	H		US-5,	362,718	11	-08-1	994	Sk	otnick	iet al			
V-C)C	71		US-5,	321,009	00	5-14-1	994		eder e				
YD	71		US-5,2	206,018	04	-27-1	993		hgal e				
KDC	K		US-5,286,730		02	2-15-1	994	Caufiel					
KOC L			US-5,286,731		02	02-15-1994		Caufield et al					
KOC M			US-5,288,711		02	2-22-1	994	Mitchell et al					
VnC	N		US-5,	387,589	02	2-07-1	995	Pr	asad S	. Kulkarni			
VAL	VIV O		US-5,4	496,832	03	3-05-1	1996		Jay J. Armstrong				
VOC	P		US-5,	516,781	0:	5-14-1	996	M	lorris et al				
Knc	<u> 10</u>		US-5,	561,138	10)-01-1	996	Ja	y J. Aı	mstrong			
					FC	REIGN	PATENT DOCUM	ENTS	3				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Contract	Foreign Patent Document				Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY		Name of Pate or Applicant Cited Docum		of	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures	Ţ,
			•									Appear	<u> </u>
KOC R		EP	EP 0525960		B		03-20-1996			American Home Products Corporation			
Examiner Signature		E	en	oha O.	Carte				idered	142	0/0	L Citation if not in conform	<u></u> .

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw like through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See: Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Not in a conformation is not incormation in the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.
This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 USC 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. this collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR